Summer Resources

Suggested Websites for All Grades:

FACTS ESL Summer Blog

http://factseslsummerblog.blogspot.com/

Check out what your ESL teachers are reading. We will have an online book club all summer!

Vocabulary Games

http://vocabulary.co.il/

Online vocabulary games organized by grade level

The Stacks for Kids

http://www.scholastic.com/kids/stacks/?lt=stacks/nav/home

This website is full of information on popular book series and authors. There are fun games to play and videos to watch, too!

Time for Kids

http://www.timeforkids.com/TFK/

This is an online magazine specifically developed for kids from grades K-6. Choose your grade level and read up on what's happening in the world!

Suggested Websites for Grades K-5:

www.starfall.com

Reinforces phonics with interactive games and online books.

www.funbrain.com

Online educational games

www.bbc.co.uk/schools/ks1bitesize/literacy/

Games for literacy support including punctuation and homophones

http://www.ipl.org/div/kidspace/

The Internet Public Library KidSpace contains books, magazines, and newspapers from around the world that are freely available via the Internet.

http://www.englishclub.com/young-learners/

This site is especially for young language learners. There are many items including games, activities and even short stories. There are also lots of links to other ESL sites.

National Geographic Kids

http://kids.nationalgeographic.com/kids/

If you like science, this website is for you! It has lots of great stories to read about animals and the nature.

BrainPOP

http://www.brainpop.com/

Full of fun animated videos that explain all subject areas. Great for junior scientists!

Suggested Websites for Grades 6-8:

http://www.freerice.com/

A quiz game lets students test there knowledge of English grammar, and build vocabulary. There are also quizzes for math, geography, and chemistry.

http://www.learnenglish.de

For students, there are chat rooms, grammar explanations, vocabulary, and self-tests are useful for current students or even for language learners who are just interested in furthering their skills.

English Zone

http://english-zone.com/index.php

This site is aimed at English learners and offers everything from fun learning games and activities to studying tips.

ESL Lab

http://www.esl-lab.com/

Full of online quizzes to test your listening skills. The quizzes are organized by level of difficulty.

ESL Robots

http://www.eslfast.com/robot/

This website lets you practice speaking skills with an ESL robot. Cool!

Goodreads

http://www.goodreads.com/

This website lets you create a list of books you would like to read or are reading. You can also check out what other kids like you are reading! Look for FACT teachers and students who have already joined this website. Teacher Erin has a long list of books on the website.